



## State of Tennessee

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 238

By Representative Pody

and

Senator Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Azariah Parfaite, 2011 Salutatorian of Watertown High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Azariah Parfaite is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2011 graduating class at Watertown High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Parfaite has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Azariah Parfaite has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Amnesty International, Tennessee Governor's Academy, Dance Club, and Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA); and

WHEREAS, in addition to the time and energy she has devoted to her studies and school activities, Azariah has contributed many volunteer hours to various charitable efforts and noteworthy causes, including the Watertown Library, Pond Gap Elementary School, Salvation Army, Second Harvest Food Bank, Ronald McDonald House, and Joseph's Store House; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Parfaite's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Azariah's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Timothy and Monique Parfaite; her three siblings; her school; and her community; and

WHEREAS, Azariah Parfaite's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2011 Watertown High School Salutatorian, Azariah Parfaite, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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ADOPTED: APRIL 25, 2011



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 2nd day of May 2011

  
BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR